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This is a complaint of an apparent violation of FEC regulations.

Respondents: Obama Victory Fund, and Julie Walden [jwalden@barackobama.com, phone at 310/277-2008]

Facts: The Obama Victory Fund and Julie Walden solicited from individuals minimum donations of \$20,000 to the Obama Victory Fund in violation of FEC regulations that limit individual contributions to \$2,400.

I don't understand how such \$20,000+ contributions could be legally made. I spoke with a "specialist" at the FEC, and he said it sounded suspicious, and that I should file a formal FEC complaint to pursue it.

Was the Obama Victory Fund actually a disingenuous or dishonestly named party committee, which would legally allow that size contribution? If that was the case, the FEC should act against the respondents for deceiving donors and the public as to the Obama Victory Fund's actual character.

Documentation:

Excerpt from the following; retrieved 9/2/09 and previously:

<http://74.125.113.132/search?q=cache:z6Txc2QAivYJ:www.joniweyl.com/DNClist.rev.1.09.pdf+artists+obama+%2420000&cd=4&hl=en&ct=clnk&gl=us&client=firefox-a>

[This is the html version of the file <http://www.joniweyl.com/DNClist.rev.1.09.pdf>. Similar language also available on other web sites.]

With a donation of \$20,000 you will receive the complete portfolio of 13 prints.

If you are interested in reserving a portfolio, please send a check for the full amount, made payable to the Obama Victory Fund to Julie Walden c/o Obama Victory Fund, 1800 Century Blvd East #210 Los Angeles, California 90067. If you have contributed the maximum donation \$28,500 to the Democratic National Committee, you can make the check payable to "Committee for Change." The maximum amount that can be contributed to all party committees is \$65,500.

Thank you for your attention to this issue.

Paul Kromberg
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 6th day of October, 2009

Sworn to and subscribed before me, and in my presence this 6th day of October, 2009, by
Abdullah Hashemi, Notary Public

My Commission Expires 08/31/2010

